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FOR EXIM AND COMMERCE

E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, BR

SUBJ: INQUIRY FROM RFFSA REGARDING EXIM LETTER OF CREDIT

1. RFFSA DIRECTOR, FREDERICO BRAGA, HAS CALLED CONSULATE GENERAL TO INQUIRE ABOUT WHEREABOUTS OF EXIM LETTER OF CREDIT NEEDED FOR SHIPMENT OF LOCOMOTIVES PURCHASED FROM GENERAL ELECTRIC AND GENERAL MOTORS. RFFSA AND EXIM SIGNED CONTRACT (EXIM CREDIT NO. 5138) FOR THIS PURCHASE ON MAY 7, 1974.

2. ACCORDING TO BRAGA, 30 OF THE 60 LOCOMOTIVES PURCHASED HAVE BEEN READY FOR SHIPMENT SINCE AUGUST, BUT HAVE BEEN DELAYED OWING TO COMPLETION OF FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS FOR PRIVATE PORTION OF LOAN WITH BANKIN CONSORTIUM LED BY BANK OF AMERICA. STORAGE COSTS ARE US\$100 PER LOCOMOTIVE PER DAY IN ADDITION TO CHARTERED FREIGHTER STADNING BY TO TRANSPORT SHIPMENT TO BRAZIL.

3. WE WOULD APPRECIATE EXIM CLARIFICATION OF ABOVE AND EXPEDITIOUS TRANSMITTAL OF LETTER OF CREDIT TO RFFSA IF POSSIBLE.  
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